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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the final Office Action mailed on August 24, 2007 in connection with the above-identified patent application (Confirmation No. 9767), please enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks and arguments. The present Amendment and Response is accompanied by a request for a two-month extension of time and the requisite fee. Also accompanying the present response is a Notice of Appeal and a Revocation and Power of Attorney. The Examiner is respectfully requested to direct all future communications to the attention of the underlined attorney, using the address provided below.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 3 of this paper.